

U. S. WEATHER BU-
REAU. Dec. 21--Last
24 hours' rainfall, .7.
Temperature, max. 78;
min. 70. Weather,
fair to cloudy.

Sunday Advertiser.

SUGAR--96° Test
Centrifugals, 3.85c.;
Per Ton, \$77. 88
Analysis Beets, 9s.
9d.; Per Ton, \$30.-
80.

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A KAMEHAMEHA NATIVE LUAU

Good Things to Eat and an Aftermath of Speaking.

Six hundred of the former and present pupils of the Kamehameha Schools, their principals, former and present, and numerous guests were present at the luau given last night in the school gymnasium as the closing function of the celebration of the twentieth anniversary of the founding of the institution. Among the guests present were many of the foremost men and women of the Territory and numbered among the many members of the Alumni and Alumnae were many Hawaiians who have in their work throughout the Islands brought honor and credit upon themselves and upon the schools of which they are graduates.

The affair was a noteworthy one throughout, an especially effective portion of the program being devoted to listening to the reports on the progress of the various Kamehameha students as related by the visitors from the outlying Islands. The addresses to the Kamehamehas by several of the visitors contained also much of worthy advice and encouragement.

The gymnasium building was decked in greens for the luau, the tables being set beneath leis of banyan and pepper leaves, while the walls of the big building were screened with palms. The tables were so arranged that the graduates of the early classes, commencing with the first of 1891 were seated together, the affair being one great reunion. Splendid attendance to the tables was given by one hundred Kamehameha students, who saw that no one was allowed to miss one course of the luau, typically Hawaiian until the ice cream and cake were served.

Among the visitors present, occupying the tables on the platform with the members of the various faculties, were Acting Governor Mott-Smith and Mrs. Mott-Smith, Judge and Mrs. Dole, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Richards, Mrs. Frear, Rev. Dr. Scudder and Mrs. Scudder, Rev. W. B. Oleson and Mrs. Oleson, Rev. Moses and Mrs. Nakuina, Hon. W. O. Smith, Professor and Mrs. Griffiths, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Holloway, Walter G. Smith, Professor Brigham, Charles E. King, Miss Krout and many others, including the members of the St. Louis College Alumni.

Following the luau an address of welcome was given by the Alumni president, Harry Auld, who was followed by Mrs. W. L. Bowers, whose address dealt with the growth, prospects and aspirations of the Alumnae, of which she is president. Charles E. King, of Hilo, brought a message from the Kamehameha graduates on the Big Island to the anniversary meeting, the message being to the effect that on Hawaii all the Kam boys were busy. He gave a detailed statement as to what many of these boys were busy at, stating among other things that twenty-three of Hawaii's school teachers and thirteen of her principals were Kamehameha men.

Of the work of the boys on Kauai, William Crowell spoke, warning his hearers that four of the deputy sheriffs of the Garden Islands were once Kam football rushers. Kamehameha's work on the mainland was told of by W. H. Abbey and Fred Beckley related the influence on Oahu of the students of Kamehameha.

A. G. Kaulukou, on behalf of the Alumni, based his remarks on the ideals of the association regarding their alma mater. Among the things he spoke of as desirable was the placing of one of the members of the Alumni on the board of trustees.

Walter G. Smith spoke on the subject of what Hawaiians can do for Hawaii, his text being the advantages to be gained by steady, conscientious work. He was followed by Hon. W. O. Smith, one of the trustees, who told of the inspiration it was to him to be present at such a gathering. He approved of some of the suggestions made by the Alumni spokesman and advanced the hope that other suggestions might follow.

Acting Governor Mott-Smith followed with a pleasing reference to the twenty years' growth of Kamehameha and an address of welcome to all the (Continued on Page Eight.)

WU TING FANG MAY TALK HERE

The Brilliant Chinese Diplomat
Invited to Address the
Merchants.

Honolulu business men may have an opportunity of hearing an address from Wu Ting Fang, the brilliant diplomat of the Chinese Empire. As well known, Mr. Wu has been appointed Chinese Ambassador at Washington, the position from which he was recalled for high office at home several years ago. He will probably pass through Honolulu on his way to the post within a few weeks, and an invitation forwarded for him to deliver an address here will, it is hoped, be complied with, although as yet unanswered.

James F. Morgan, president of the Honolulu Chamber of Commerce, was asked yesterday if that body was going to continue the plan, inaugurated under his presidency, of procuring addresses from prominent people at its regular meetings.

"The practice is going to be continued," Mr. Morgan replied, and the next address will probably be delivered at the meeting in January. Speakers that we see so far in the future include His Excellency Wu Ting Fang, the Chinese Ambassador to Washington. Some months ago an invitation to Mr. Wu was forwarded through the Chinese Consul here, asking him to give a talk to the Chamber of Commerce while his steamer is in port.

"It will depend on his arrival, and when he comes the time will be announced. Although we have not yet received an answer, we are hopeful that the distinguished and witty diplomat will comply with the request.

"Then there is Mr. H. D. Loveland of San Francisco, president of the late Transmississippi Congress, who intends to visit Honolulu in January. An invitation has been extended to him to address the Chamber.

"Previous to the departure of Governor Frear he was invited to meet with the Chamber of Commerce and give a talk, but owing to his being very busy in getting away he promised to give us a talk some time after his return."

So, it will be seen, three interesting talkfests are in prospect for the beginning of the new year.

SITUATION REASSURING

No Indications That Cholera
Will Spread—Measures
of Prevention.

Yesterday produced nothing to be alarmed about in the cholera situation and much that tends to produce a hope that the one case discovered will be the last. Early in the day there was some alarm felt at the discovery that the wife of the first victim of the disease had been taken ill. She was immediately isolated and given treatment, although her case was not diagnosed as cholera, and last night her condition had much improved.

At midnight last night it was reported by Dr. Wayson of the Board of Health that everything was of the most encouraging nature and that nothing had happened throughout the day to cause the least alarm.

The forces of the special police were detailed on Friday night to guard the quarantined blocks, being relieved in the morning by the regular Board of Health inspectors. All the people living in what are considered the possibly infected blocks were removed in the morning to the quarantine camp at Kalihi, and their effects fumigated. As soon as the buildings were vacated the inspectors began immediately to fumigate and cleanse the blocks, which work is now well under way.

JUDGE WILFLEY SUED BY LAWYER BROOKS



JUDGE LEBBEUS WILFLEY.



FRANCIS M. BROOKS.

Judge Lebbeus R. Wilfley, of the U. S. District Court in Shanghai, had the unpleasant experience, before resuming his voyage in the Manchuria for San Francisco yesterday, of being served with summons in a suit for \$50,000 damages brought jointly against himself and Frank E. Hinckley, clerk of his court, by Francis M. Brooks, attorney at law, formerly of Honolulu and now of Shanghai.

The alleged cause of action is defamation of character. Mr. Brooks declares that Judge Wilfley, both in letters and by word of mouth publicly uttered, informed plaintiffs' clients and others in Shanghai, as well as people in the United States, that he (Brooks) was not fit to be consulted or employed as a lawyer or business man, and that he was not to be trusted as a

lawyer, and that he was a fugitive from justice in Hawaii, and could not and dare not return there, etc.

A conspiracy between Judge Wilfley and Clerk Hinckley is averred to have been entered into, with the purpose of preventing Brooks from practicing his profession in Shanghai and driving him out of the place. Clients with Oriental names are mentioned as having deserted the plaintiff on account of the attacks on his character by the defendants.

As a specific result of all these things, Brooks alleges that his professional income was reduced from \$25,000 to \$5000 a year.

The suit is brought for the January term of the First Circuit Court at Honolulu.

Mr. Brooks left for the mainland as a fellow passenger of Judge Wilfley in the steamer Manchuria.

grounds and the actual work of building commenced.

PROMPT MEASURES TAKEN.

Prompt measures are being taken by the Board of Health to prevent any further outbreak of the disease through persons bathing in possibly infected waters and from eating fish caught in these waters. An order issued by President Pinkham and countersigned by four of the members of the Board of Health, strictly prohibits the following:

First—The taking of fish, shellfish or any product of the sea or water, from the sea or any harbor, pond, river or stream situated between a line drawn from Diamond Head to the point of land designated as Ahua west of the entrance to Kalihi Harbor and the mountains.

Second—All bathing and washing of clothes within the harbors, ponds, rivers and streams as above designated.

DINNER TO OLESONS.

Tonight at the Young Hotel the class of 1891, the first class that graduated from the Kamehameha Schools, will tender a dinner to Rev. W. B. Oleson and Mrs. Oleson. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Richards and a few others will be among the invited guests. The members of the class of 1891 are C. E. King, I. Haee, Moses Kauwe, Solomon Hanohano, Robert Pahau, William Ruthburn, Fred Beckley and William O. Crowell.

An Island Souvenir

The illustrated Souvenir of the Congressional visit last May has been issued from the presses of the Gazette company in the form of a second edition. It is a work of beautiful typography and contains half-tone pictures covering a variety of island subjects. As a supplemental souvenir to Picturesque Hawaii it is invaluable. The price of the Souvenir is fifteen cents.

James Henry Stoddart, the actor, died lately at his home in Seward, N. J., at the age of eighty years. Though an actor of high reputation for more than half a century, he did not appear as a star until 1901.

The appointment of Rev. Edward Hanna of Rochester, N. Y., as coadjutor bishop of San Francisco is said to be objected to by the Pope because of the taint of "modernism" in his writings.

Governor Frear cabled yesterday to Acting Governor Mott-Smith that he would leave Washington on Monday, be in New York until Saturday and sail from San Francisco in the Manchuria, which will be due here on January 13.

THE FLEET ALL RIGHT AND WILL RETURN BY SUEZ

A Druce Witness Charged With Perjury---Hawaiian-American Vessel Launched---Congress Adjourns for Holidays.

(Associated Press Cablegrams.)

KEY WEST, December 22.—A wireless message from the fleet has been received from a point 600 miles east of Jupiter Inlet. The speed being made is eleven knots. Admiral Evans expects to return to the Atlantic by way of Suez.

TROOPS DEAL WITH STRIKERS.

VALPARAISO, December 22.—In a clash between the troops and the nitrate strikers, seven were killed and sixteen wounded.

A DRUCE WITNESS ARRESTED.

NEW YORK, December 22.—Caldwell, a witness in the Druce case, was arrested for perjury on his arrival in England.

PARLIAMENT SUMMONED.

LONDON, December 22.—Parliament has been summoned to meet on January 29th.

THE ISTHMIAN LAUNCHED.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 22.—The American-Hawaiian steamer Isthmian, was launched yesterday.

HOLIDAY RECESS OF CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, December 22.—Congress has adjourned until January 6.

FOR MAIL SUBSIDIES.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, December 21.—The Merchant Marine League met here today. Addresses were made by prominent Senators and Congressmen, all in favor of mail subsidies for ships.

BANKING GETTING NORMAL.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., December 21.—The bank holidays will end at midnight.

EMPEROR FRANCIS JOSEPH WELL.

VIENNA, Austria, December 21.—Emperor Francis Joseph has so far recovered his health that he read the speech from the throne at today's assembly of Parliament.

TO PROTECT THE MINES.

GOLDFIELD, Nevada, December 21.—It is proposed to organize a force of deputy sheriffs to prevent trouble at the mines. The commission appointed by Roosevelt to investigate the situation has left. This commission reported that Federal troops were not needed.

STRIKE ON MILLS BUILDING.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 21.—Four hundred men working on the Mills building, went out on strike today as a result of a disagreement between the steamfitters and men installing the elevators.

BROTHER OF ARCHIVIST LYDECKER.

Col. Garrett J. Lydecker, senior officer in his grade in the Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., who retired for age with the rank of brigadier general, November 15, 1907, was born in New Jersey, and was appointed to West Point from New York in 1860. He was graduated as a first lieutenant June 13, 1864, at the head of his class, and was assigned to the Corps of Engineers. When graduated Colonel Lydecker at once left for the front, taking part in the operations about and at the siege of Petersburg. Until June, 1865, he was in command of a company of the engineer battalion, acting also as assistant engineer in making surveys of the theater of military operations before Petersburg. He received the brevet of captain in 1865 for gallant and meritorious services at the siege of Petersburg. He afterwards served on various important engineering works in New York, Michigan, Louisiana, Texas, Illinois, Kentucky and District of Columbia. Col. Lydecker has been assistant professor and principal assistant professor of engineering at the Military Academy, chief engineer on the staff of the commanding general of the Pacific Division, and chief engineer of the Division of the Missouri, and has been a member of various engineer boards. He was promoted captain in 1866, major in

1880, lieutenant colonel in 1891, colonel in 1901. His last assignment was division engineer of the Central Division, with headquarters at Detroit, Mich. His retirement will promote Lieut. Col. Joseph H. Willard to colonel. Major James G. Warren, Capt. James F. McIndoe, 1st Lieut. William F. Stockey and 2d Lieut. William F. Endress will also be advanced.—Army and Navy Journal.

CHOLERA IN JAPAN.

YOKOHAMA, December 7.—Two fresh cases of cholera were reported in the city on Monday. One is a man named Hikotaro Otshi, living at No. 1, Morimoto-cho, Ichome Azabu, and another, a workman named Kintaro Fujii, No. 125, Nagazumi-cho, Asakusa. A most alarming report is to hand with regard to cholera. Since the beginning of this month cholera has been prevailing in Huku port, Oshima Island, Izu province. On the 3rd inst. a ship fully laden with mackerel left Oshima for Tokyo. Off Uraga, a fisherman on board turned out to have cholera. The ship continued her voyage and disposed of her cargo at the fish market of Nihombashi, and before the police could make a descent upon the vessel it had left for an unknown destination and the fish were distributed all over the city. For a few days, therefore, it is advisable that the citizens should beware of mackerel.